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BRAKEMAN GETS \$11,000 DAMAGES

Awarded Verdict by Federal Jury for Loss of Arm on Chesapeake and Ohio.

After considering the evidence for an hour and a half, a jury in the United States District Court yesterday rendered a verdict of \$11,000 in favor of Claude Profit, a freight brakeman, against the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company. Profit brought suit for \$20,000 damages for the loss of his right forearm in a railway yard accident.

The verdict will be contested by David H. Leake, counsel for the railroad. A motion was made yesterday that it be set aside as contrary to law and evidence, and on account of improper restrictions in the jury. Judge Edmund Vaddell, Jr., continued adjournment until November 21. Should he then refuse to interfere with the action of the jury, the railway will take an appeal to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Trini Lants Three Days.

Monday morning and continued through Tuesday afternoon. The case was given to the jury yesterday morning about 10 o'clock, and a verdict returned at 1:30 o'clock. If Profit had been killed in the accident that cost him his arm his executor could have brought suit for only \$10,000. Suit for damages resulting from an accident of this character can be brought only in the Federal courts, but in State courts it was employed. The time of his accident was engaged in interstate commerce.

His counsel, Charles V. Meredith, were counsel for Profit.

The jury was composed of Beverly C. Lewis, John L. Gresham, Parker T. Conrad, W. G. Andrews, R. B. Morgan, William C. Scott, C. L. Haskett, R. T. Farnsworth, Henry S. Haskewer, W. C. Parkinson, Fred Pleasant and H. Theodore Elyson.

MAY PLACE HOME IN OTHER HANDS

Florence Crittenden Mission Tentatively Offers to Take Charge of Girls' Reformatory.

Mrs. W. K. Barrett, a representative of the National Florence Crittenden Mission, called upon the Rev. H. D. C. MacLachlan, D. D., of the executive board of the Virginia Home and Industrial School for Girls, yesterday morning and informally discussed with him a plan to have the home turned over to the charge of the social service institution, which she represents.

Mrs. Barrett first called upon Rev. J. T. Mastin, Secretary of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, and was by him referred to Dr. MacLachlan. Dr. MacLachlan could not assure Mrs. Barrett that her tentative offer would be accepted, as he could not speak for the board, but he will lay her proposition before the executive management. It is seriously considered as a solution of the problem. Because of unpleasant notoriety, violent criticism of a purpose entirely charitable, and civil indictment of members of the executive board, it has been suggested that the home be transferred to other management or closed.

After the executive board do not intend to accept this solution, the problem as a means to escape the fire of what they term petty censure, or to avoid prosecution in the Chesapeake and Ohio court on the charge of maintaining a public nuisance. They are prepared to go to court and to face trial, and they will be represented by able counsel. Several efforts have been received from attorneys to represent them in the proceedings, and it is probable that counsel will be decided upon to-day.

After the trial, however, the tentative offer of the National Florence Crittenden Mission will be considered. Should the home be placed under the care of the Florence Crittenden Mission, an expert would be put in charge of the institution. Two competent assistants would be assigned to him, and other experts would be sent regularly to check up the work and to watch the results. The ownership of the institution and its general care and management would not be affected by the change, though the executive board would resign and relinquish its responsibility to the experts of the mission. The Florence Crittenden Mission would furnish the executive officers and superintend the conduct of the inmates and the immediate management of the home.

BROKEN THUMB S GROUND FOR SUIT

Henrico Jury Thinks Workman's Injury Worth \$500, but Judge Sets Verdict Aside.

On the ground that it was contrary to the law and evidence, Judge George S. Shackelford, sitting for Judge H. Carter Scott, in the Henrico Circuit Court, yesterday set aside the verdict of a jury which on Tuesday afternoon awarded damages in the sum of \$500 to Charles H. Jefferson, a blacksmith, who was suing the Fulton Brick Works for injuries received while in its employ.

Jefferson, it was alleged, was engaged in repairing a water tank on the premises of the defendant company, and while so doing, fell to the ground. His right thumb was broken and his hand otherwise injured. The whole being enough to ruin his chances of making a livelihood at his calling, it was contended.

The plaintiff testified that he was climbing a pipe to reach the tank, and that it had become loose and broke with him. The defendant introduced witnesses to prove that Jefferson fell from the platform before he began to go up the pipe, and that the accident occurred through his own negligence. The testimony was conflicting through-out, and Judge Shackelford readily acceded to the defendant's request that the verdict be set aside.

The case has not been removed from the docket, but will probably be tried again at the next term of the court. Conway Smith and James T. Lewis appeared for the plaintiff. The defense was conducted by F. H. C. Cabell.

OPEN HENRICO SCHOOL

Formal exercises will be held to-morrow night at Glen Echo Park. Formal opening exercises will be held to-morrow night at the new school at Glen Echo Park, Henrico County, under the auspices of the National League. All patrons of the school and the general public are invited to attend the meeting, which will begin at 8 o'clock. The following program has been arranged: Opening prayer, Rev. R. B. Weatherly; address by the school, piano solo, Mrs. Fred Harbour; address, George Bryan; male quartet, Mrs. Ligon's boys; talk by Jackson Davis and Superintendent A. D. Wright; music, Mrs. Fannie Points; acceptance of school by the school, piano solo, Mrs. Fred Harbour; music and refreshments. Clerk J. B. Dowden will be master of ceremony.

COUNCIL SCOTTS INSPECT NEW LINES

Tour Boundary in Twelve Motors and Find Lay of Land Satisfactory.

DECKS CLEAR FOR ACTION

First Line on Fate of Ordinance Expected at Special Meeting Monday.

Sixty members of the city government, comprising Councilmen, Aldermen, the City Engineer, the City Clerk, the Administrative Board, a committee from the Fire Board, and the Mayor, toured the new annexation lines in a squadron of twelve automobiles yesterday afternoon, for a first-hand view of the territory that will make Greater Richmond.

The caravan left the City Hall at 1:45 o'clock with the Mayor's machine leading in the breakaway. Close behind followed the car carrying City Engineer Bolling with a map of the new territory flying from the masthead. Mr. Bolling has been over the lines several times with the Special Annexation Committee and was by common consent elected official Pathfinder.

The return to headquarters was made late in the afternoon. The party returned covered with the asserted dust of Richmond's seven hills, but declared itself satisfied with the lay of the land. Several were surprised at the extent of the territory included by the new lines, but, on the whole, the members expressed themselves in favor of the boundary as laid down in the pending ordinance.

Take South Side First. The lines of the Southside were inspected first. The party crossed on the new Mayo Bridge and proceeded to the junction of the new boundary and the river on the eastern front. They followed the line north and east around Forest Hill, Swansboro, and Maury Cemetery, reaching finally the eastern end of the corporation bounds at the river.

Doubling back on their tracks the scouts recrossed the bridge and headed east for the junction of the new line with the river on the north side. From that point began the last leg of the course, which consumed the remainder of the afternoon. The party skirted in succession Montross Heights, Oak-Green Cemetery, the new Southside, Highland Park, Walnut Hill, Wright's Park, Ginter Park, Bellevue Park, Virginia Place, Hermitage Park, Chantilly and Colonial Place.

The first line of the new Southside, which parallels the southwestern boundary to the river. Decks Clear for Action. Yesterday's tour completed the official inspection program, and from now on the annexation ordinance will be fought out in the Council Chamber. The Special Annexation Committee went over the boundary several times, and will be able to supply such information as the Council may have faulted to gather in its more or less highly-gear'd tour. The decks, it is contended, are now clear for action, and annexation will hold the centre of the stage for several weeks to come.

The first line of the ultimate fate of the ordinance will come on Monday night, when the Common Council will meet in joint session to take it from the table for discussion and probable action. Notwithstanding scattered fears that the annexation program will meet with concerted opposition from certain quarters--quarters that have succeeded in keeping their purposes dark--it is the general opinion among the members of the board that the ordinance will be passed without material change from its present form.

Reports Will Be Ready. At the office of Acting Auditor Crenshaw, it was stated yesterday that reports from heads of departments, asked for by President Peters, of the Common Council, will be ready for Monday night's meeting. The Street Cleaning, Engineering, and Water Departments have already submitted their statements. The Fire, Police, Gas and Electrical Departments have promised to have their estimates ready by Friday.

President Adams, of the Board of Aldermen, issued a call yesterday for a joint meeting of the Council at 7:30 o'clock Monday night, to elect a clerk of the Police Court to succeed the late Edgar B. White. The election will be held in the Council Chamber half an hour before the members of the board convene to take up the annexation ordinance. There are three candidates--George A. Marks, W. A. Shields and Benjamin Catlin Tucker. Mr. Marks, it is stated, will not accept the position, and the race lies between Mr. Tucker and Mr. Shields.

FATHER MAGRI TO RETURN

Bishop O'Connell Makes Several Changes in Diocese of Richmond. Bishop O'Connell, effective on Sunday, the changes are as follows: Father Baird, of the Sacred Heart Cathedral, has been transferred to Petersburg, while Father O'Connell, who had been at Richmond, is being stationed at the cathedral. Father Magri, who had been at Lynchburg, will take his place at St. Peter's church. Father Creed of Charlottesville, Father Curran, of Roanoke, will go to Petersburg. Father O'Connell will go as assistant to Father Prioli in Roanoke.

Cat Smoker Fined \$10. W. C. Callis was fined \$10 and costs yesterday morning in Police Court for being disorderly and smoking in a Main Street car. He appealed.

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HEAR DISCUSSION ON CURRENCY BILL

McAdams and Sands Tell Business Men's Club of Objections to Certain Features.

Table talks on the pending currency bill were given after the usual dinner of the Business Men's Club yesterday by Thomas B. McAdams and Oliver J. Sands. Colonel McAdams spoke from the viewpoint of the business man, and Mr. Sands from the viewpoint of the banker.

Colonel McAdams, who spoke first, said that the two interests coincide. He believed that the opposition to certain details of the bill, as set forth in various meetings of bankers, had been conscientious, and he prophesied that when the bill comes before the Senate committee it will be amended in the important objections. He pointed out, were to the segregation of the savings departments, to the forcing of the national banks to contribute to the stock of the central reserve banks and to the too great control over the new system by Federal power. He also objected to the government receiving 2 per cent from the stock of the reserve banks, while the central reserve banks could not be suggested that the discretionary power of the government be limited.

Mr. Sands, speaking from the banker's point of view, favored the bill in its broader principles, and showed how the new system would work. He said that the Federal reserve banks would recognize properly indorsed commercial paper as security, and, if they had funds, would lend it and put money into circulation. He feared, however, under the present plan, that the system might be controlled by politics, to which the banking interests strenuously objected. He said that the ought to be Federal control, but that the system should be also under such management as would entirely remove the system from political control, and thus prevent money being placed by politicians. Mr. Sands said that he had seen 7,000 individual banks in the country working diversely, whereas under the new system they would be unified. Under the proposed plan there would be no banks of reserve funds, and commercial paper would be converted into cash, and thus such a panic as struck the country in 1907 could be averted.

DID JUDGE TUCKER MISS LAST BOAT?

Wired Governor From Seattle That He Cannot Reach Alaska Till Spring.

No further information has been received by Governor Mann from Judge John Randolph Tucker, of Bedford, Va., recently appointed by President Wilson as a territorial judge in Alaska. Judge Tucker mailed to the Governor recently his resignation as a member of the State Senate from the Twenty-second District, composed of Bedford and Rockbridge counties and the city and town of Buena Vista. Later he telegraphed the Governor withdrawing his resignation, stating that he had missed the last boat from Seattle for Alaska, and would have to wait until navigation opens in the spring before going to his new post of duty, and, therefore, would be in Virginia this winter during the session of the General Assembly.

Yesterday was reported from the Department of Justice in Washington that Judge Tucker would sail from Seattle to-morrow. Governor Mann said last night, that in view of the telegram he had received from Judge Tucker, withdrawing his resignation, he had no doubt but that he would receive a later message in the event that it was found to be practicable for him to proceed to Alaska at once.

Judge Tucker does not qualify for his position until he reaches Sitka, the capital of Alaska. Until he resigns or qualifies for some other position he is a regular member of the State Senate, and eligible to retain his seat. The court to which Judge Tucker was appointed is located at Nome, Alaska. It is a four-year appointment, and does not rank with Federal district judges in the States, who are appointed for life.

Until Judge Tucker's plans are definitely known, political matters in his district will be quiet. The Governor can make no move until a resignation is presented, for if Judge Tucker remains in Virginia he is entitled to the seat. The Governor indicated, however, that if a resignation were received, he would take prompt steps to issue a writ for a special election. Democratic leaders of the district are reported to be much divided, the probable candidates being S. S. Lambeth, Jr., of Bristol; Major William A. Anderson, of Lexington; and J. C. Paxton, of Buena Vista.

Thieves Get Jail Terms. Annes Taylor, colored, was sent to jail for thirty days yesterday morning in Police Court for stealing \$10 from the Richmond Dairy Company. Harry Davis, colored, was sentenced to a term of 15 days for stealing a quantity of meat from Swift & Co., was given thirty days. Daniels is the negro who tried to escape arrest by hiding in a sewer. Thomas Hickera was sentenced to serve fifteen days for stealing a watch from J. B. Morris Hickera. A net Thomas E. Hickera, of 212 East Marshall Street.

CONFERENCE ON HANOVER ROADS

Comprehensive Plans for Improvement Are Under Consideration.

A prolonged conference was held yesterday afternoon over the location of certain projected road improvements in Hanover County. Members of the Board of Supervisors came to Richmond with a number of citizens to consult State Highway Commissioner P. St. Julian Wilson. For several days the session was held in the courtroom of the Supreme Court of Appeals. Henry W. Anderson appeared for the Richmond-Washington Highway Association, and W. D. Duke for the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company.

The object of the conference, which was called by Mr. Wilson, was to harmonize into a compact system of road improvement the funds at the disposal of the county supervisors, the State aid funds, and the contributions to the Richmond-Washington Highway, and the aid to road building offered by the railroad company.

Mr. Duke stated that his company would not take sides in factional differences within the county. Its general policy, however, was to aid in construction of roads leading to stations of the company, rather than to contribute to the construction of roads which parallel its own lines. With rapidly increasing traffic, the road was greatly exposed to grade crossings, and would share in the expense of eliminating them.

No final action was taken as several of the parties to the conference wished to give the matter further consideration, but it was stated that the road was being prepared for a comprehensive plan of road improvement for the county. The Richmond-Washington Highway crosses the county. The road from the Chickahominy to the South River is in an improved gravel road in good condition, needing only short bridge and some repairs. A State convict road force has recently been at work on the road between the South River and the North Anna Rivers at Anderson's Bridge, having begun at the intersection of the road with the South River. It is expected that additional convict forces will shortly be put to work in the county.

WERNER TAKES VACATION

Chief of Police Will Spend Annual Recreation on Farm. Chief of Police George E. Werner last night left for his annual vacation. During his absence Captain George E. Pollock will act as head of the department.

Major Werner plans to spend most of his time upon his farm at the Taverne. He will return in time for the fall inspection, which will be held some time next month.

SIX OUT OF THIRTY GIVEN LICENSES

Many Fail to Pass State Board of Pharmacy Examinations.

As a result of recent examinations conducted by the State Board of Pharmacy, the following list of successful applicants to whom diplomas to practice in this State will be issued was given out yesterday: R. E. Woodstock, A. J. Clark, Crozet; R. E. Wood, Norfolk; Fred W. Martin, Norfolk; Macon Ware, Richmond; D. D. Johnson, colored, Petersburg.

Registered assistant pharmacists: W. I. Beamer, Roanoke; R. N. Moir, Roanoke; A. G. Eastwood, South Richmond; Philip D. Hale, Pearisburg; G. V. Durrant, Richmond; L. A. Tennyson, Alexandria; E. M. Garber, Staunton; A. R. Warner, Norfolk; William A. Thompson, Lynchburg.

There were thirty applicants for license as registered pharmacists. On examination only the six named above made 75 per cent or more on both theory and practice. There were twelve applicants for license as registered assistant pharmacists, nine passing successfully.

The State Board of Pharmacy will be in session to-day for the transaction of routine business. The next series of examinations will be held on the third Tuesday in January.

LECTURE ON BEN HUR

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POLICEMAN NABS ESCAPED CONVICT

Arrests Youth Who Escapes From Road Force While Serving Three-Year Term.

Henry Kirk, alias Henry Johnson, nineteen years old, convicted nearly a year ago with two other youths of robbing downtown offices, sentenced to three years on the roads, and who escaped, was captured yesterday by Bicycle Policeman Bertucci.

Kirk walked up to the officer at Eighteenth and Main Streets. Bertucci, who was in plain clothes and who was one of the officers who had previously captured him, instantly recognized him and took him in custody as an escaped convict.

At the First Police Station Kirk was carefully searched, and, sewed in an undershirt, was found a diamond ring, which, the police assert, was stolen. Efforts are now being made to locate the owner.

Since he escaped from the road force in Smyth County, Kirk says he went West, visiting Cincinnati and other cities. He returned to Richmond confident that he would not be recognized. There was a reward of \$20 for the capture of Kirk.

MOTOR TRUCK LAW

Subcommittee Defers Report to Enable City Engineer to Gather Data.

The Subcommittee on Ordinances appointed to report the draft of a new law to regulate motor truck traffic in the city limits, held a conference yesterday afternoon with the City Attorney and the City Engineer. The Subcommittee is composed of Councilmen Moore and Welsh.

The committee recommended that the drafting of the ordinance be deferred for a short time to enable him to tabulate data on the weight and carrying capacity of the trucks used in the city. The committee will await the action of the Board of Aldermen upon a measure now pending before it, which proposes to lower the maximum load limit of trucks traversing asphalt-paved streets.

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